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In re: Boustany et al. Examiner: J. Goldberg
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For: *METHODS OF SCREENING FOR RISK OF PROLIFERATIVE DISEASE AND
METHODS FOR THE TREATMENT OF PROLIFERATIVE DISEASE*

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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR TELEPHONE INTERVIEW

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed December 30, 2006. Please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

Applicants also request that a telephone interview be granted after the Examiner has reviewed this Amendment and prior to the issuance of any further official actions.